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# Annual Report

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For the Fiscal Year Ending February 15

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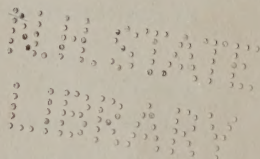
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# State of New Hampshire.

[L. S.]

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Conway in the  
County of Carroll, in said State, Qualified to  
Vote in Town Affairs.*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said Town on Tuesday, the 14th day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all the necessary Town officers for the year ensuing, and fix the compensation of the same.

2. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate in addition to the sum required by law for the benefit of the Town Public Library and how the same shall be divided.

3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum sufficient to pay for breaking roads and snowing bridges due May 1st, 1911.

4. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repairing of highways and bridges in addition to the amount required by law.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money sufficient to obtain State aid, for the permanent improvement of its highways as provided by law.

6. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray Town expenses for the ensuing year.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seventy five dollars (\$75) to be paid to Custer Post, No. 47, G. A. R., for observing Memorial day, May 30, 1911.



8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire upon the credit of the Town, the sum of ten thousand dollars if needed.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money sufficient to construct a bridge in Conway village in said Town, commencing at the northern terminus of the new highway laid out by the Selectmen in 1907 and constructed in 1908, the northern end of said bridge to rest upon the land between the Iron bridge and the Sturtevant Peg Manufactory, agreeable to a petition signed by O. C. Johnson and 24 others.

10. To see if the Town will vote to build and maintain a suitable building for a Police Station and Police Court room, at some convenient place in the Village of North Conway and appropriate money for same, agreeable to a petition signed by E. C. Seavey and 15 others.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise a sum of money sufficient to build two new snow rollers.

12. To act upon any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 20th day of February, A. D., 1911.

E. B. CARLTON,  
W. M. WYMAN,  
JOHN H. GARLAND,  
Selectmen of Conway.

## Treasurer's Report.

To Henry B. Cotton and Arthur Furber, Auditors of the  
Town of Conway:

I herewith submit an account of all money received and  
disbursed by me as Treasurer of the Town of Conway for the  
fiscal year ending February 15, 1911.

### RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand from last report, 1910	\$ 2,728 23
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Apr. 9, Rec'd from Saco Valley Grange for rent of Town hall,	50 00
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Apr. 14, Rec'd from Selectmen amount rec'd from sale of school house, Dist. No. 16,	50 00
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Apr. 14, Rec'd from H. A. Bishop, pedlar's license.	10 00
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June 4, Rec'd of A. W. Chandler, 1909 tax col- lected,	2 88
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Aug. 1, Rec'd State Board License Commission- ers,	53 55
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Aug. 6, Rec'd Chas. Remick to reimburse town for assistance to Wm. Clifford,	35 35
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Oct. 1, Rec'd of State Forester account of fire protection,	31 50
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June 22 Rec'd of H. B. Cotton on Town note,	2,500 00
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Rec'd of State Treasurer:

Insurance Tax,	\$ 7 50
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Railroad Tax,	3,267 45
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Savings Bank Tax,	1,857 47
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Literary Fund,	371 07
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School Fund,	2,591 83
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Jan. 7, Rec'd of Selectmen, rent of Town hall,	7 00
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" 4, Rec'd of State Treasurer, account Boun- ties,	10 00
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Feb. 11, Rec'd of County Treasurer, account County Poor,	526 56
Feb. 15, Rec'd for licences, billiard tables, pool tables and bowling alleys,	47 00
Feb. 15, Rec'd of State Engineer, account State Highways,	593 14
Feb. 15, Rec'd of Town Clerk, amount rec'd from candidates voted for at Primaries,	20 00
Feb. 15. Rec'd from Police Court fines imposed for violation of gambling laws,	60 00
Feb. 15, Rec'd of School District Treasurer amount overpaid on school account,	90 60
Feb. 15, Rec'd of Town Clerk account dog li- censes,	375 85
Rec'd for interest on daily balances, Bank Ac- count,	107 09
Rec'd from Selectmen amount collected for Li- censes to Shows during the year,	217 00
Rec'd from Collector of Taxes:	
June 4,	\$ 900 00
July 2,	1900 00
August 6,	1900 00
September 3,	2300 00
October 1,	2100 00
November 5,	2239 29
December 8,	7000 00
January 7,	2889 29
February 4,	1000 00
"    15,	1119 83
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	23,348 41
Total Receipts,	<hr/> \$38,958 08

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid Selectmen's orders as follows:

Arrearage bills,	\$ 96 00
Highways and bridges,	3,875 44

## Repairs Saco River Bridge at

Conway,	638 17
State highways,	1,196 09
Breaking roads and snowing bridges,	761 38
Board of Health,	104 85
Custer Post, G. A. R.,	75 00
Bounties,	10 00
Public Library Appropriation,	810 00
Town poor,	60 85
County poor,	659 14
Fighting forest fires,	64 51
Town officers,	1,164 00
Damage by dogs, collecting dog tax etc.,	147 00
Miscellaneous bills,	420 31
School Dis't. Appropriation,	15,301 26
Total,	25,384 00

State Tax,	2,598 00
County Tax,	3,143 88
S. C. Hatch, interest on Morton note,	40 00
A. O. Robinson, int. on Chesley note,	40 00
H. B. Cotton note, temporary loan,	2,500 00
Interest on same,	54 07
S. C. Hatch, A. Morton note,	1,000 00
Interest oh same,	31 00
A. O. Robinson, Chesley note,	1000 00
Interest on same,	33 33

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 35,824 28

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 Balance in Treasury, \$3,133 80

By the payment of the Morton and Chesley notes, the town is freed from debt.

The Andrew Dinsmore Cemetery Trust Fund of \$150, is still on deposit in the savings department of the North Con-



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way Loan & Banking Co., interest accrued to January 1, 1911 is \$13.14.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES L. GIBSON, Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE.

Conway, N. H., February 20, 1911.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of James L. Gibson, Treasurer of the town of Conway, for the fiscal year ending February 15, 1911, and find them to be correct. There are proper vouchers on file for each and every item paid out, and the amount of cash on hand is on deposit to the credit of the town.

HENRY B. COTTON,  
ARTHUR H. FURBER,

Auditors for the town of Conway.

## Selectmen's Report.

The following is the amount of money appropriated by the town for the year ending Feb. 15, 1911.

State tax,	\$ 2,598 00
County tax,	3,143 88
Conway public library, by law	110 00
In addition, .	700 00
Breaking roads and snowing bridges,	
Highways and bridges, by law,	3,589 97
Custer Post, G. A. R.,	75 00
Town expenses, not assessed,	
To pay on town debt, not assessed,	
Drain pipe at North Conway,	300 00
Grading and fencing old cemetery near Redstone,	150 00
Schools, as required by law,	3,247 50
In addition,	3,000 00
Repair of school buildings,	300 00
New school house at Conway,	2,500 00
Additional school accommodations at North Conway,	750 00
Salary of school district officer,	90 00
Expert supervision,	325 00
School books and supplies,	250 00
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	\$22,629 35
Overlay,	947 74
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	\$23,577 09

### INVENTORY FOR YEAR 1910.

1092 polls,	\$ 109,200 00
Improved and unimproved land and buildings,	919,437 00
584 horses,	46,852 00
26 oxen,	1,430 00
605 cows,	14,004 00
133 other neat stock,	2,060 00



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14 sheep,	70 00
30 hogs,	284 00
Carriages and automobiles,	14,810 00
Stock in banks and other corporations in the state,	21,400 00
Stock in corporations out of state,	24,000 00
Money on hand at interest or on deposit,	2,000 00
Stock in trade, including lumber,	214,270 00
Mills, machinery and aqueducts,	102,600 00
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	\$1,472,417 00
Resident and non-resident tax list,	\$23,577 09
Tax per \$100, \$1.60.	

To H. B. Cotton and A. H. Furber, Auditors of the Town of Conway for the fiscal year ending Feb. 15. 1911, agreeable with Chap. 43, Art. 11 of the Public Statutes of New Hampshire, we submit the following report of our transactions for the past year, with our vouchers.

E. B. CARLTON,  
W. M. WYMAN,  
JOHN H. GARLAND,  
Selectmen of Conway.

## ARREARAGES.

B. C. Snyder, printing reports and ballots,	\$78 00
Edson C. Eastman, record book,	15 00
A. E. Davidson, breaking roads in 1908-9,	3 00
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	\$96 00

## BOARD OF HEALTH.

B. Frank Horne, services on Board of Health,	\$ 13 75
G. H. & J. Z. Shedd, " "	51 10
W. R. Burnell, " "	10 00
B. Frank Horne, " "	30 00
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	\$104 85

## CUSTER POST, G. A. R.

Geo. F. Redlon, appropriation for G. A. R.,	\$75 00
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## BOUNTIES.

Wm. A. Loud, 1 bear,	\$ 5 00
Chas. Stilphen, “	5 00
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	\$10 00

## PUBLIC LIBRARY.

H. B. Fifield, part appropriation,	\$150 00
“ “ “	250 00
“ “ balance of appropriation,	410 00
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	\$810 00

## TOWN POOR.

A. R. Shirley, hay to Elden Grover,	\$ 5 00
H. H. Randall, wood for Mrs. Thurston,	7 00
Furber Bros., coal for Mrs. Thurston,	7 60
Laura A. Hill, board of Betsy Smith.	21 00
G. H. & J. Z. Shedd, visits to Betsy Smith,	15 00
Carter & Bean, supplies to Betsy Smith,	5 25
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	\$60 85

## FIGHTING FIRE.

J. H. Garland, various bills paid,	\$40 51
“ “ fighting fire,	2 00
Geo. W. Russell, “	4 50
Alfred Eastman & Son, “	7 50
Wm. M. Wyman, — “	7 00
S. K. Merrill, “	3 00
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	\$64 51

## COUNTY POOR.

Mrs. Geo. Osgood, care of transient,	\$ 6 00
W. E. Garland Co., assistance to Grady family,	32 00
“ “ “ “	18 67
A. D. Davis, assistance to Boothby family,	63 00
Carter & Bean, “ “	20 77
W. E. Garland Co., assistance to Grady family,	18 00
“ “ “ “	18 00
“ “ “ “	17 40



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Mrs. Geo. Osgood, care transients,	7 50
C. M. Wiggin, medical attendance to Michael Costello,	17 40
Fred Hale, care of transient,	7 22
W. E. Garland Co., assistance to Grady family,	18 00
Mary C. Hill, board of Harriet Mudgett,	35 00
John Shorey, board and care Henry Burbank,	47 65
“ care of transients,	17 20
W. E. Garland Co., assistance to Grady family,	18 00
A. D. Davis “ Boothby “	81 00
Mary C. Hill, board Harriet Mudgett,	6 00
W.E. Garland Co., assistance to Grady family,	18 00
Mrs. Geo. Osgood, care transients,	3 00
Fred T. Hale, conveying Italian to County farm from Redstone,	5 83
Frank W. Davis, supplies to Turgeon family,	6 30
W. E. Garland Co., assistance to Grady family,	18 00
Mrs. Geo. Osgood, assistance to transients,	2 25
Carleton & Thoms, supplies to Turgeon family,	88 09
G. H. & J. Z. Shedd, medical attendance to G. K. Nute.	1 25
Carter & Bean, supplies to Boothby family,	30 41
Wm. Cantwell, care of transients,	17 20
H. F. Lewis, board of Harriet Mudgett,	20 00

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 \$659 14

## TOWN OFFICERS.

E. S. Whittemore, ballot clerk,	\$ 4 00
C. E. McIntire, “	4 00
C. E. Allard, “	4 00
H. B. Cotton, auditor,	5 00
L. C. Barnes, supervisor,	40 00
E. S. Whittemore, ballot clerk,	4 00
J. F. Stott, supervisor,	40 00
C. E. McIntire, ballot clerk, etc.,	7 00
Fred Hale, police,	6 00
C. E. Allard, ballot clerk,	4 00
H. S. Mason, “	4 00
C. E. McIntire, “	4 00

Fred C. Abbott, supervisor,	60 00
John E. Potter, ballot clerk,	8 00
E. C. Blouin, enumerator,	19 00
J. K. Edwards, police,	4 00
E. S. Whittemore, ballot clerk,	4 00
J. F. Stott, supervisor,	20 00
L. C. Barnes, "	20 00
W. W. Philbrook, police,	2 00
Fred T. Hale, police,	2 00
J. B. Nash, town counsel,	25 00
J. H. Garland, selectman,	150 00
E. B. Carlton, "	150 00
Wm. M. Wyman, "	150 00
Wm. Cantwell, police,	4 00
A. H. Furber, auditor,	5 00
A. W. Chandler, collector,	300 00
W. R. Burnell, town clerk,	40 00
Jas. L. Gibson, town treasurer,	75 00
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	\$1,164 00

## COLLECTING DOG LICENSE AND DAMAGE BY DOGS

## DR.

Licensing 145 male dogs,	\$290 00	
" 13 female "	65 00	
" 22 dogs under 1 year of age,	20 85	
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## CR.

Fannie Pendexter, damage to clothes,	\$ 7 50	
W. R. Burnell, licensing dogs,	36 00	
A. E. Davidson, collecting dog licenses		
and killing dogs,	101 00	
Insley Greenlaw, damage to tent,	2 50	
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Balance due school district,		\$228 85

## ACCOUNT WITH CARROLL COUNTY.

## DR.

Balance due from 1909,	\$ 56 75
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County tax for 1910,	3,143 88	
Support of County poor,	659 14	
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CR.

By County tax,	3,143 88	
By cash,	526 56	
	<hr/>	3,670 44

Balance due town,		\$189 33
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## ACCOUNT WITH STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

DR.

Insurance tax,	\$ 7 50	
Railroad tax,	3,267 45	
Savings bank tax,	1,857 47	
Literary fund,	371 07	
Proportion of school fund,	2,591 83	
Bounties,	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$8,105 34

CR.

State tax,	\$2,598 00	
Cash,	5,497 32	
"	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$8,105 32

## MISCELLANEOUS.

W. D. H. Hill, insurance on town hall,	\$120 00
Conway Aqueduct Co., water for district 13,	13 33
W. E. Garland Co., supplies and janitor bill,	3 55
John C. L. Wood, insurance on library,	15 00
Edson C. Eastman, supplies for town office,	2 30
Conway Chair Co., electric lights for Saco and Swift river bridges in 1909,	15 88
A. J. Lougee, reporting births and deaths,	1 50
W. H. Tarbox, watering trough, district 1,	10 00
E. C. Eastman, supplies for office,	3 10
F. H. Eastman & Son, guide boards,	2 00
W. W. Philbrook, abatement of poll tax,	2 00



H. B. Fifield & Co., locks for lock-up,	6 00
J. F. Stott, watering trough, district 16,	2 50
W. E. Garland Co., supplies for office,	3 85
B. C. Snyder, printing,	3 00
Fred Hale, wood for lock-up,	4 00
A. M. Littlefield, watering trough, district 9,	2 50
Jos. P. Davidson, housing snow roller,	4 00
Mrs. Chas. Walker, cleaning police station,	4 00
Edson C. Eastman, supplies,	1 51
J. L. Gibson, repairs for lock-up,	2 20
B. W. Sawyer, watering trough, district 8,	25 00
W. E. Garland Co., supplies for hall and office,	3 39
Jas. Prout, housing snow roller,	2 00
H. B. Cotton, watering trough, district 4,	10 00
R. E. Lane, supplies for town clerk,	2 09
Conway Chair Co., lights and repairs on same for Saco and Swift river bridges,	27 21
C. M. Wiggin, reporting births and deaths,	7 00
G. H. & J. Z. Shedd, reporting births and deaths,	11 75
B. C. Snyder, printing,	1 25
W. D. H. Hill, legal services,	15 00
J. H. Garland, postage and stationery and mailing moth notices,	16 92
Furber Bros., surveying,	1 00
W. R. Burnell, securing and reporting names,	14 50
“ “ reporting marriages, births and deaths,	34 75
J. L. Gibson, postage and stationery,	1 48

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\$420 31

### ACCOUNT WITH SCHOOL DISTRICT.

#### APPROPRIATIONS.

Schools as required by law,	\$ 3,247 50
In addition,	3,000 00
Repairs on school buildings,	300 00
New school house at Conway,	2,500 00
Additional school accomodations at North Conway,	750 00

## TOWN OF CONWAY

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School District officers,	90 00	
Expert supervision,	325 00	
School books and supplies,	250 00	
High school tuition,	1500 00	
Mary Banfill fund, interest,	9 40	
Dog license 1909,	275 86	
Literary fund,	371 07	
Proportion school fund from state,	2,591 83	
		<hr/> \$15,210 66

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By order No. 158 to Jas. L. Gibson, District Treasurer,	15,301 26	
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Overpaid,	\$90 60	

## BREAKING ROADS AND SNOWING BRIDGES.

Chester Potter, cutting out jump holes,	\$ 1 50	
W. H. Wilkinson, labor, shoveling,	1 23	
Webster and Potter, breaking roads,	21 00	
A. M. Littlefield, " "	16 20	
P. W. Mudgett, " "	35 14	
F. H. Sawyer, " "	54 50	
Stephen Jenness, snowing 2 bridges,	25 00	
H. S. Mason, snowing bridge,	15 00	
R. J. Potter, breaking roads,	10 50	
A. E. Davidson, breaking roads,	5 00	
H. A. Littlefield, breaking roads,	9 74	
F. R. Thompson, " "	22 00	
Prout and Dolloff, " "	85 00	
W. E. Brooks, snowing bridges,	20 00	
John Legere, breaking roads,	12 16	
E. R. Perkins, breaking roads,	8 00	
Irving Page, breaking roads per contract,	100 00	
M. L. Rounds, breaking roads,	12 09	
James P. Davidson, breaking roads,	37 32	
J. L. Dennett, " "	16 50	
Geo. W. Russell, " "	84 00	
C. H. Leavitt, " "	18 00	
John H. Smith, breaking roads,	95 50	
A. T. Cole, shoveling,	2 00	
A. C. Kennett, breaking roads,	54 00	
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## State Highway Account.

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Ed. Chamberlain,	\$ 2 00
Arthur Munroe,	7 00
Bert Eastman,	2 00
H. Deacon,	7 88
Wm. Perrin,	9 00
Perley Mudgett,	38 25
Wilfred Gallant,	11 00
Arthur Chick.	5 13
Walter Chick,	1 75
Herman Eastman,	1 75
Alfred Eastman,	67 50
Lynnwood Edgerly,	22 00
Brad. Perkins, gravel,	29 70
Edward Sawyer.	21 00
F. S. Webster,	42 75
Herbert Taylor,	21 00
Frank Johnson,	24 50
James Johnson,	22 32
Charles Chick,	24 50
E. E. Loud,	45 13
Geo. W. Russell,	56 25
Fred Munroe,	21 26
Robert Marshall,	17 94
Mahlon Mason,	25 40
Eben Lord,	1 75
Adelare Savard,	18 00
William Nute,	8 00
O. Mason,	5 25
Richard Martin,	6 00
Lawrence Miller,	6 00
Arthur Chick.	24 00
Wm. Perrin,	26 00
Perley Mudgett,	22 50



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Wilfred Gallant,	30 00	
Alfred Eastman,	130 50	
Lynnwood Edgerly,	24 00	
Brad Perkins, gravel,	36 90	
Edward Sawyer,	30 00	
T. S. Webster,	76 50	
Albert Taylor,	4 38	
Frank Johnson,	21 00	
Charles Chick,	25 00	
E. E. Loud,	52 50	
George Russell,	58 50	
Walter Munroe,	14 00	
Robert Marshall,	5 25	
Fred Munroe,	14 00	
James Johnson,	15 75	
Harry Thompson,	5 85	
Cloutman Bros.,	7 45	
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		\$1,196 09

## STATE HIGHWAY STATEMENT.

Balance town contribution,	\$ 737 18	
“ state “	737 19	\$1,474 37
Town disbursements approved,	1,196 09	
State “ “	9 82	
Total disbursements,		1,205 91
Paid by state to town,	593 14	
Balance in town treasury,		134 23
“ state “		134 23
Total unexpended balance,	268 46	

# Highways and Bridges.

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E. E. LOUD, ROAD AGENT.

Geo. W. Tibbetts,	\$ 8 00
H. S. Mason,	12 75
G. T. Kennison,	3 50
I. S. Mason,	5 63
Wm. Perrin,	1 75
Kearsarge Hotel Co.,	27 55
H. H. Randall,	32 37
Alfred Eastman,	56 25
Geo. W. Russell.	47 25
E. E. Loud,	19 25
Wm. Ross,	7 00
Orville Eldridge,	9 18
Herman Eastman,	9 18
Dean Dinsmore,	10 50
Roy Eastman,	3 50
Lyford Kennerson,	3 50
Orville Eldridge,	5 25
Herman Eastman,	6 13
Dean Dinsmore,	16 00
E. E. Loud,	31 50
Eli Hill,	2 00
Geo. W. Russell,	77 60
Alfred Eastman,	56 25
Kearsarge Hotel Co.,	4 50
H. H. Randall,	6 25
Mahlon Mason, gravel,	20 10
Arthur Tucker,	2 63
John Smith, gravel,	7 40
Frank Allard,	23 00
Harold Lucy,	7 00
John Lewis,	3 50
Oscar Smith,	16 00

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John D. Legere,	5 25
Ed Gardner,	3 00
United Construction Co., drag,	30 00
Conway Co.,	18 80
J. H. Garland,	1 25
James Prout,	8 75
George Allard,	3 50
Perley Bickford,	14 00
John Hurd,	15 75
Perley Purrington,	3 50
Fred Roberts,	12 77
E. B. Carlton,	39 41
Patrick Murray,	15 75
Andrew Carlton,	28 60
Clarence Thurston,	3 50
Frank Chase,	3 50
Moses Thurston,	6 56
Eugene Kennerson,	8 75
Clarence Ela,	88
H. H. Thoms,	13 30
Charles Cook,	1 05
Everett Swett,	3 00
I. S. Mason,	8 13
G. T. Kennerson,	11 38
H. S. Mason,	14 00
S. C. Hatch,	1 50
Almon Willey,	4 90
Ed Grames,	3 50
Joseph Custance,	6 13
E. F. Bryant,	8 13
Charles Snow,	12 00
Harris Littlefield,	12 25
John Stott,	19 00
Mahlon Mason, gravel,	6 90
Lyford Kennerson,	11 38
Dean Dinsmore,	30 00
Wm. Ross,	13 13



Herman Eastman,	18 38
H. H. Randall,	27 00
Alfred Eastman,	59 25
Geo. W. Russell,	149 13
E. E. Loud,	58 40
Roy Eastman,	88
Chas. Johnson,	15 75
Mahlon Mason, gravel,	39 10
John McKay,	12 00
Dean Dinsmore,	22 00
Kearsarge Hotel Co.,	18 00
Geo. W. Russell.	81 50
M. C. Coleman,	3 00
E. E. Loud,	24 50
Wm. Ross,	3 50
Thomas S. Webster,	105 25
George Osgood,	22 75
P. W. Mudgett,	45 00
Gilbert Kennerson,	19 25
Jas. P. Davidson,	24 75
Joseph Drown,	6 13
J. W. Sawyer, gravel,	20 00
Charles Chick,	14 00
Frank Cole,	3 50
Walter Maloney,	1 75
Israel Davis,	29 13
Arthur Lucy,	18 75
Mahlon Mason, gravel,	80
Alfred Eastman,	12 08
Charles Chick,	6 13
Charles Snow,	6 40
Frank Dolloff,	2 09
E. E. Loud,	91 70
B. Eastman,	5 25
Moses Thurston,	35 00
E. B. Carlton,	58 69
Geo. Russell,	184 80

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Andrew Carlton,	42 25
Fred Roberts,	14 00
Perley Purrington,	29 20
Dan Purrington,	29 76
Eugene Kennerson,	34 13
David Bumblebee,	7 44
Ed Hall,	1 75
Charles McArthur,	29 27
George Sprague,	18 70
Ed Chamberlain,	31 00
Charles Loud,	51 00
Joseph Provonchia,	7 00
Herbert Bryant,	14 00
Norman Kennerson,	6 57
Charles Cotton,	12 00
Fred Thurston,	6 13
George W. Russell,	17 00
M. A. Heath,	26 25
Almon Hill,	14 87
B. W. Flint,	14 00
E. H. Heath,	17 12
S. S. French,	4 50
J. F. Stott,	19 80
Carlton & Thoms,	6 65
L. N. Quint,	6 00
Geo. W. Tibbetts,	14 00
A. M. Littlefield,	18 43
J. Archibald,	24 30
John V. Young,	3 00
The Conway Co.,	12 82
E. E. Loud,	17 50
Charles McArthur,	4 38
Geo. W. Russell,	8 25
V. T. Parrish,	6 60
Fred Thurston,	5 25
Charles Cotton,	8 00
Norman Kennerson,	3 50

Herbert Bryant,	7 75
Charles Loud,	22 63
George Sprague,	3 50
Dan Purrington,	3 50
Perley Purrington,	3 50
Moses Thurston,	5 25
Ralph Purrington,	1 75
James Prout,	10 00
E. B. Carlton,	9 87
George Sprague,	3 50
Charles McArthur,	3 50
F. H. Sawyer,	11 38
J. H. Garland,	3 75
C. H. Leavitt,	13 37
Harry A. Thompson,	19 05
Wm. Chick,	10 50
P. W. Mudgett,	29 25
T. S. Webster,	94 50
Walter Chick,	8 75
Henry W. Snow,	8 75
Charley Chick,	17 50
J. E. Batchelder, gravel,	18 80
North Conway Improvement association,	12 50
M. L. Rounds,	7 43
H. B. Cotton,	33 75
S. C. Hatch,	10 87
H. B. Fifield & Co.,	4 40
S. S. French,	5 63
J. H. Custance,	14 43
J. F. Stott,	9 20
Frank Johnson,	21 00
W. E. Garland Co.,	3 01
Stephen Jenness,	2 50
Nathan Whitaker,	25 00
Charles Cotton,	13 50
E. E. Loud,	28 00
George Russell,	27 00



## TOWN OF CONWAY

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A. C. Kennett,	49 75
Ed Chamberlain,	13 50
Herbert Taylor,	6 13
James Linscott,	5 25
Jack Colbath,	4 35
Harry Smith,	34 75
John Smith,	43 00
Raymond Smith,	7 00
Will Drew,	7 00
Charles Cotton,	19 00
Charles Carson,	7 50
W. W. Philbrook,	5 00
Lorenzo Bryant,	8 00
Charles Hodgdon,	7 50
J. B. Colbath,	1 75
E. B. Carlton,	2 25
J. R. Thurston,	1 75
Batchelder & Worcester Co.,	9 30
Thomas S. Webster,	66 51
L. E. Edgerly,	15 75
R. J. Potter,	18 00
Charles Chick,	12 25
P. W. Mudgett,	36 00
James Davidson,	31 50
Frank Johnson,	14 00
James E. Batchelder, gravel,	16 00
Charles Loud,	6 25
L. N. Quiut,	1 24
A. M. Littlefield,	2 00
John M. Gile,	5 40
J. R. Thurston,	1 75
H. A. Quint,	16 00
A. R. Shirley,	24 00
Herbert Bryant,	3 50
Harry Smith,	8 00
Stephen W. Hill,	3 37
W. F. Lewis,	15 00

H. A. Littlefield,	1 25
W. E. Garland Co.,	1 64
F. P. Allard,	5 75
Me. & N. H. Granite Co.,	12 35
H. B. Cotton,	4 12
O. B. Merrill,	5 25
E. E. Loud, paid J. P. Towle,	3 50
A. D. Davis,	5 70
Carter & Bean,	70
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	\$3,875 44

## REPAIRS ON SACO RIVER BRIDGE.

The Conway Co., lumber,	\$223 89
Samuel Bickford,	4 50
F. H. Sawyer,	31 00
Waldo E. Bickford,	37 50
Charles Hodgdon	42 50
I. A. Sawyer,	12 50
Conway Chair Co.,	11 99
C. D. Carson,	62 50
Frank Broughton,	74 30
O. L. Moody,	48 11
Nathan Whitaker,	32 62
Carlton & Thoms,	14 73
The Conway Co., lumber,	29 28
Frank C. Broughton,	10 75
A. L. Hale,	2 00
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	\$638 17

SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS PAID BY SELECTMEN BY  
ORDERS ON TREASURER.

Arrearages,	\$ 96 00
Board of Health,	104 85
Custer Post, G. A. R.,	75 00
Bounties,	10 00
Public library,	810 00

## TOWN OF CONWAY

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Town poor,	60 85
Fighting fires,	64 51
County poor,	659 14
Town officers,	1,164 00
Damage by dogs and collecting and licensing dogs,	147 00
Miscellaneous,	420 31
School district,	15,301 26
Breaking roads and snowing bridges,	761 38
State highway,	1,196 09
Highways and bridges,	3,875 44
Repairs to Saco river bridge,	638 17
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	\$25,384 00

ACCOUNT WITH A. W. CHANDLER, COLLECTOR OF  
TAXES.

## DR.

Amount of resident and non-resident,	\$23,577 09
Taxed after April 1st,	30 41
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	\$23,607 50

## CR.

Abatements	\$ 259 08
Cash paid treasurer,	23,348 41
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	23,607 49
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Balance due from collector,	01

## ACCOUNT WITH JAMES L. GIBSON, TREASURER.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1910,	\$2,728 83
Note of H. B. Cotton,	2,500 00
County Treasurer, for county poor bills,	526 56
Pedlar's license,	10 00
State license commissioners,	53 55
Licenses for circuses and shows,	216 00
Refund on assistance to Wm. Clifford,	35 35
Received for sale school house, district 3,	50 00
Insurance tax,	7 50
Railroad tax,	3,267 45

Savings bank tax.	1,857 47
Literary fund.	371 07
Proportion of school fund,	2,591 83
State highways,	593 14
Forestry protection,	31 50
Bounties,	10 00
Rent of town hall,	56 00
Pool table and bowling alley licenses,	47 00
Dog licenses,	375 85
Interest on cash in bank,	107 09
Received from tax collector,	23,348 41
“ “ for 1909 tax collected,	2 88
Received for candidate fees for candidacies at pri- mary election,	20 00
Received for gambling fines,	60 00
Amount refunded by school district treasurer,	90 60
Total amount to be accounted for by the Treasurer,	\$38,958 08

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF TOWN ON FEB. 15, 1911.

## LIABILITIES.

Mary Banfill fund,	\$ 235 00
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## DEMAND LIABILITIES.

Due school district for dog licenses,	\$228 85
Interest on Mary Banfill fund,	9 40
Balance of state highway fund,	134 23
Appropriation for drain at North Conway,	300 00
“ old cemetery near Red- stone,	150 00
	<u>822 48</u>
Total liabilities,	\$1,057 48

## ASSETS.

Due from E. E. Loud,	\$ 7 13
Cash in treasury,	3,133 80
Carroll County,	189 33



## TOWN OF CONWAY

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John Sanphy for pool table license	10 00	
J. I. Newton                   "                   "	6 66	
	<hr/>	3,346 92
Assets above liabilities, Feb. 15, 1911,		2,289 44
Liabilities above assets Feb. 15, 1910,		472 59
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Net gain for fiscal year ending Feb. 15, 1911,		\$2,762 03

E. B. CARLTON,  
WM. M. WYMAN,  
JOHN H. GARLAND,  
Selectmen of Conway.

We respectfully call the attention of the tax payers of this town to the fact that the town is out of debt and a good surplus in the treasury, something that we have not known for fifty years or more, and this has been accomplished in spite of the fact that we passed over and did not assess \$3000 called for by the appropriation made at last annual town meeting.

We believe it good business policy for the town to keep out of debt and pay as we go. The town has paid out in interest on its indebtedness twice the amount of the original debt. The Selectmen were obliged (as you will see by our report) to expend nearly \$700 in repairs on Saco river bridge at Conway, in order to save the bridge. This extra expense has been paid in full, the unexpected and not provided for by appropriation at last annual town meeting.

SELECTMEN OF CONWAY.

## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen of Conway for the fiscal year ending Feb. 15, 1911, and find them correct with a voucher for each and every item of the account, and same entered under their proper heads.

H. B. COTTON,  
A. H. FURBER,

Auditors.

Conway, N. H., Feb. 20, 1911.

# Report of Library Trustees.

TO H. B. COTTON AND ARTHUR H. FURBER, AUDITORS OF THE  
TOWN OF CONWAY:

We respectfully submit an account of all money received and disbursed by us as Trustees of the Conway Public Library for the fiscal year ending February 15, 1911.

## RECEIPTS.

Former year,	\$ 79 75
Town Treasurer,	150 00
Sale of grass on lot,	6 00
Town Treasurer,	250 00
“	410 00
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	\$895 75

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Conway Chair Co., lights,	\$ 12 50
J. H. Fullerton, janitor,	18 00
Nina B. Hiscock, librarian,	25 00
Boston & Maine R. R., freight bill,	26
Sarah L. Tewksbury, cleaning library building,	6 00
H. W. Berry, cleaning clock,	2 00
Nina B. Hiscock, librarian,	25 00
J. H. Fullerton, fixing clock and oil,	1 00
Nina Hiscock, Librarian,	25 00
Conway Chair Co., lights,	12 50
Loring, Short & Harmon, books, Center library,	57 59
J. H. Fullerton, janitor,	20 00
John T. Whitaker, labor and material,	4 75
H. B. Fifield & Co., hose, etc.,	6 45
Nina B. Hiscock, librarian,	50 00
Boston & Maine R. R., freight bill,	25
Conway Chair Co., lights,	12 50
J. H. Fullerton, janitor,	20 00

## TOWN OF CONWAY

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Chas. D. Perkins, kindlings,	1 00
Nina B. Hiscock, librarian,	25 00
“ “ “	25 00
J. H. Fullerton, janitor,	25 00
Conway Chair Co., lights,	9 72
John T. Whitaker, labor,	1 75
Loring, Short & Harmon, books, Centre library,	31 07
A. C. Kennett, coal,	135 00
Nina B. Hiscock, librarian,	75 00
J. F. Fullerton, janitor,	35 00
J. H. Garland, books, janitor work,	8 00
Abbie M. D. Blouin, librarian Centre library,	25 00
J. F. Fullerton, kindlings and labor,	2 25
H. B. Fifield, books,	98 00
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	\$820 59
Cash on hand,	75 16
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	\$895 75

## THE EASTMAN FUND.

## RECEIPTS

Balance in Casco Bank, Portland,	\$1,108 04
Interest 1910,	43 49
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	\$1,151 53

## DISBURSEMENTS

H. B. Fifield, cash for books,	\$ 28 95
“ “ “ “	31 70
“ “ “ “	34 14
“ “ “ “	6 41
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	101 20
Balance in bank,	1,050 33
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	\$1,151 53

So far as known all bills have been paid.

Respectfully submitted,

A. C. KENNETT, Chairman,

H. B. FIFIELD, Treasurer.

## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.

We hereby certify that we have examined the books of the Treasurer of the Conway Public Library and find the accounts correctly entered and vouchers filed for each and every item.

H. B. COTTON,

A. H. FURBER,

Auditors.

Conway, N. H., Feb. 20, 1911.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN OF FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY  
AT CENTRE CONWAY.

The work at the Library has been much as in the past few years. New books were added in June and December, and the magazine table still is very popular. Upon the table are to be found American Boy, Everybodys, Ladies Home Journal, Munsey, Outlook, Red Book, Saint Nicholas, Success, Travel, World's Work, Youth's Companion, Woman's Journal, The Reporter and The Pioneer. We receive through the kindness of Mrs. J. E. Morrill, the Outlook; Mrs. W. J. Comstock of New Haven, Conn., St. Nicholas; Mrs. E. E. Weeks, Woman's Journal; Edna Thoits, Youth's Companion, and from some unknown friends, Success, The Reporter and The Pioneer. We wish to assure these friends of the Library of the appreciation of these gifts. We have also received the following gifts of books: Sumner F. Clafin, Mrs. G. F. White, Mrs. C. P. Spalding, one each; Mrs. C. B. Brewster, three; Mrs. W. J. Comstock, seven; and there have been added from the library funds, one hundred and eight new volumes. Miss Mary Nesmith and Mrs. T. P. Ivy gave for our library walls two pictures in bas relief of the Coliseum at Rome and the Pantheon. These are beautifully framed and came to them from the estate of the late Admiral Taylor.

The book circulation has been on the usual average. Fiction 1720, juvenile 876, miscellaneous 186, a total of 2782.

Very respectfully submitted,

ABBIE M. D. BLOUIN, Librarian.



REPORT OF LIBRARIAN OF CONWAY PUBLIC LI-  
BRARY AT CONWAY, FOR YEAR ENDING  
DEC. 31, 1910.

Nothing of special interest has transpired at this Library during the past year. The Library has been open every week day. The total number of books loaned was 9103, an average of 29 books each day, divided as follows: Fiction 5617, juvenile 3121, the remainder divided among other classes.

Through the kindness of some of our friends twelve books have been presented to the Library. Thirty books were added to the Library by Mr. Lewis from St. Andrews Mission, one hundred and forty-five by the trustees from the Eastman fund.

The same friends as in previous years have given magazines for the reading tables. Mrs. J. D. Bickford, Sacred Heart Review; Mrs. Orcutt, Christian Science Sentinel; Mrs. H. B. Fifield, Hampton's Success, Mothers Magazine and Saturday Evening Post; Mrs. H. P. Wilder and Mrs. McDonald have given several copies of magazines for reference work. Through the kindness of the editor the Reporter is found on the table every week. The Cosmopolitan, Munsey, Technical World, Youth's Companion, American Boy, St. Nicholas, Little Folks, Delineator and Daily papers are provided from fines.

Mr. Silloway, who passed away very suddenly this last year, has been very kind in sending books, magazines and pictures of interest to the Library. He has always taken great interest in the Library, and his thoughtfulness will be very much missed in the years to come.

We wish to extend our thanks to all for their kind aid and interest.

NINA B HISCOCK, Librarian.

# Report of the Conway Police Court.

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TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF CONWAY:

We respectfully submit the following report from the Docket of the Police Court for the year ending Feb. 15, 1911

Whole number of cases entered, 75

Classified as follows:

Drunkenness,	24
Violation liquor laws,	7
Larceny,	7
Breaking and entering and larceny,	5
Violation Fish & Game laws,	6
Assault,	6
Aggravated assault,	2
Violation laws against gambling,	4
Obtaining money or goods under false pretenses,	4
Trustee process,	3
Cruelty to animals,	3
Polygamy,	1
Rape,	1
Incest,	1
Writ of possession,	1
	— 75

Three cases were entered on the Juvenile Docket, all for larceny, one of which is still pending.

Respectfully submitted,

J. L. GIBSON, Justice.

H. BOARDMAN FIFIELD, Special Justice.

# State of New Hampshire.

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[L. S.]

*To the Inhabitants of the School District of the Town of Conway, in the County of Carroll, in said State, Qualified to vote in District Affairs.*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said District on Tuesday, the 14th day of March, 1911, at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.

Art. 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Art. 4. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money, in addition to that required by law, the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools for the ensuing year.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for repairs on school buildings for the ensuing year.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for insurance and water for the ensuing year.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for district officers, and how the same shall be apportioned.

Art. 9. To see if the district will vote to employ a teacher for music and drawing, and appropriate a sum of money sufficient therefor.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money, in addition to the

amount raised at the last annual meeting, the district will vote to raise and appropriate to provide for adequate and proper accommodations for the school at Conway Village, to build a new building or repair and enlarge the old, and provide, by purchase or otherwise, land such as may be required, and appoint and instruct a committee to carry the provisions of this article into effect.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for a furnace and cellar for the Conway Centre school house, agreeable to a petition signed by Mrs. C. E. Allard and others.

Art. 12. To hear reports of agents, auditors, committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

Art. 13. To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

Art. 14. To act upon any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Conway, this twenty-fourth day of February, 1911.

ARTHUR H. FURBER,  
ABBIE M. D. BLOUIN,  
L. C. PRESCOTT,  
School Board of Conway.

A true copy, attest: —

ARTHUR H. FURBER,  
ABBIE M. D. BLOUIN,  
L. C. PRESCOTT,  
School Board of Conway.



# School District Treasurer's Report

TO HENRY B. COTTON AND ARTHUR H. FURBER, AUDITORS OF  
THE TOWN OF CONWAY:

I herewith submit an account of all money received and disbursed by me as School District Treasurer, for the fiscal year ending Feb, 15, 1911.

## RECEIPTS.

Balance from last year's account,	\$ 673 97
Tuition received from the town of Brownfield,	6 50
“ “ “ Eaton,	6 00
“ “ Mrs. E. L. Hick,	5 50
Received of town treasurer total amount due schools,	15,210 66
Total receipts,	\$15,902 63

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid orders numbered 1 to 350 inclusive,	13,058 81
Leaving a balance on hand of	\$2,843 82

Respectfully submitted,  
JAMES L. GIBSON, Treasurer.

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE.

Conway, N. H., Feb. 13, 1911.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of James L. Gibson, Treasurer of the School District of Conway, for the fiscal year ending Feb. 15, 1911, and find them to be correct, with proper vouchers on file for each and every item paid out and the amount of cash on deposit for balance shown.

H. B. COTTON,  
H. BOARDMAN, FIFIELD,  
Auditors for the School District of Conway.

# Superintendent's Report

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TO THE SCHOOL BOARD AND CITIZENS OF CONWAY, N. H.:

It is my privilege to submit for your approval the second superintendent's report.

The past year has been one of solid advancement upon the foundation of a standardized school system. It is hoped that this will be evident to the unbiased readers of this report. But a system of schools cannot be produced in a few weeks, or a year. There is no magic word that will suddenly transform children that can not and do not think, into children that can and do think; and not until a large percentage of our pupils show us that they are sufficiently developing their reasoning faculties, are our schools all that they should be.

No other town has better material to work with, because our children are very capable of being taught. What they need is solid training in body, mind and soul, from the time they enter school at six years of age, until they complete their schooling. It is not enough that they get simply a good beginning, if the primary teacher happens to be a good one. The instruction in the intermediate grades is just as important; and the grammar grades in their turn are just as vital. Now if all of these grades are going to articulate, there must be system, and the superintendent must see to it that the instruction in each year is solid and well done. A good beginning has been made on the foundation and with the continued hearty co-operation of the citizens, the Conway schools will continue to improve.

The recommendations found in this report are not elaborate or ahead of the times. They have been very carefully considered in the light of the present school conditions and advancement in Conway. We are not advocating medical inspection of schools, school dentists, school gardens, corn exhibits, special classes, semi-annual promotions, etc., although

all of these things are good and are already found in many school systems no larger than ours. In Wolfeboro, the schools are doing considerable in the way of sewing and manual training, but we are not yet ready to introduce this work into our schools.

#### ATTENDANCE.

No matter how good our schools are, attendance comes first. The percentage of attendance for the past school year was 91, and for the five years preceding 89.2. Thus there has been a gain in the percentage of attendance for the whole town of 1.8. This is a very substantial gain, and in a town where there are 600 pupils, this has a significant meaning.

The other side of this question has to do with illiteracy. According to the census of 1900, there are 27 states with a lower percentage of aggregate males of voting age who are illiterate; and there are 42, or nearly all of the states with a smaller percentage of illiterates who are native white voters of foreign parentage. The per cent. of illiterates in Carroll County is 2.8. There were found several boys in Conway who would have added to this list of illiterates, but who are now regularly attending school.

A few of our pupils have serious physical defects that interfere with their educational advancement, and in some of these cases, glasses, or a slight operation would correct the defects. Your Superintendent has in mind one very bad case of adenoids. The boy is fast becoming deaf and stupid, and after being advised, the parents are doing nothing for him.

#### STATE PROGRAM OF STUDIES.

On March 23, 1910, the school board adopted the state program of studies. This is better than any local program, because in following this our pupils are on the same basis as a large majority of the other pupils of New Hampshire.

At the end of each year examinations are sent out from Concord for the various subjects in the several grades. Both teachers and pupils expect these examinations, and the pupils know that they ought to be able to pass them if their work is of a standard quality. It is my belief that a large majority

of our pupils will be successful in this year's examinations.

The results of my examinations have shown that some schools excel in one subject and some in another. Now what is desired are well balanced schools, good in all of the common branches. Where the teachers have been unsupervised, there has been a perfectly natural tendency to lay the most stress on the subjects they liked best. For example, civil government has been poorly taught. Handwriting is a weak spot, but by means of a graphometer (an instrument for measuring the quality of handwriting) the interest in this subject has been quickened.

#### PROMOTIONS

In addition to the regular annual promotions, there are nearly always one or more pupils in each grade who should be promoted during the school year. Many such promotions have been made by the teachers concerned and the Superintendent acting together. Parents should not take such an act as proof that the promoted child is superior to the others. It may only mean that he or she is maturing faster than the majority of children. The dullest boy in the school, provided he is a worker, may go the highest when he finally gets his start. Whenever one or two in a class of 15 or 20 are irrepressibly bound to do a large share of the recitation work, it is right that they should be passed to a higher grade. This is only justice to the others, and large majority of the class; for they are then more on an equality, and the teacher has a fairer opportunity to develop them, and to bring the entire class up to the desired standard.

#### HIGH SCHOOL.

Two years of high school work as laid out in approved New Hampshire high schools, is now being pursued at North Conway. The plan was to have the same at Conway, but as a matter of fact there is only a year and a half in this village. The reason for this is largely due to a lack of school room. Another year, if the necessary room is provided, there will undoubtedly be two full high school years. These could then



be approved as third class high schools, and it would probably be advisable to ask the State Superintendent for such approval.

This extra year of high school work at North Conway, is a saving of several hundred dollars in high school tuitions, and the instruction is the equal of that found in small high schools or academies.

#### BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

The average expenditure per pupil for the whole state for books and supplies in the years 1907 and 1908 was \$1.51 and \$1.69, respectively. Last year Conway spent 60 cents per pupil on this account, and this year about 90 cents. It should take about one dollar a year per pupil, to do this work to the best advantage.

During the year all schools have been properly supplied with sufficient pencils and paper of all kinds, and unless there has been occasional wastefulness, no parent has been asked to supply such material. If parents are bothered by their children asking for money for such supplies, it is hoped that they will notify the teachers or superintendent of the fact.

About a year ago the State Superintendent issued a minimum equipment list of school material, such as maps, books, etc. It contains no costly apparatus, but rather the essentials that no school room should be without. It has been and should continue to be our policy to gradually bring all of our schoolrooms up to the 100 per cent mark in this matter of minimum equipment.

#### LENGTH OF SCHOOL YEAR.

From time to time the school boards of past years have asked for additional money with which to run the schools 36 weeks, but this has never been done. The reason for this is that the additional money has only been sufficient to take care of the natural growth of the schools, in addition to a small average increase in teacher's salaries, which has been found necessary on account of the increased cost of living. There were 34 weeks of school last year, and there will be 36

weeks this year. This is the standard New Hampshire school year, and Conway, being one of the largest towns in the state should adopt and maintain 36 weeks of school.

#### SCHOOL WORK.

There is a very general false impression that to educate boys and girls we must cram their heads full of facts. Education is not a pouring in process, but is rather a slow development and unfolding of the child mind. As before said, pupils must be led to think. They are in school six hours a day, and this is sufficient mental strain for the growing child below the eighth grade. Home study for the smaller pupils is not necessary or wise, and very seldom is of any real benefit to the child. Of course this is a matter of some individual difference and is also largely influenced by the attitude of the child's parents.

#### TEACHERS.

The teaching force of the school district is more professional than ever before. Eleven out of the twenty teachers are normal school graduates and teachers who have passed the state teachers' examinations. There is now only one teacher in town who is not at least a high school graduate.

Conway has received \$440.00 rebate on state approved teachers for last year; and this year we shall receive between \$700 and \$800, on this account alone. Of course a good share of this money is passed on to the teachers, but the District gets the benefit just the same, in the form of better teachers for their children in the grades.

By the end of another year nearly every teacher in town should hold a state teacher's certificate or be a normal school graduate. We do not pay our principals and high school teachers enough. One who is competent to be principal of a school of 150 or 200 children should receive more than \$13 per week. Now some will suggest a shorter school year and higher wages; but there is nothing in this, because good teachers always ask the question, "How long is your school year?" An industrious teacher does not care to work but half of the year, even if the pay for that half is fairly good.

Of course an important part of any superintendent's work is the improvement of his teachers while they are in service. This is being done in the following ways: 1. In conference with the individual teacher. 2. In conference with small groups of teachers. 3. By means of example and explanation during school visits. 4. Teacher's meetings. 5. Recommendations as to teachers reading and study for professional growth.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS.

"It is not easy for taxpayers to realize that the money put into the education of the common people comes back in increasing tax paying within fifteen years and continues as a permanent income. A child who gets little out of the public schools, will pay little or no tax through life, and will be liable to make a personal draft on the tax payers as a pauper, criminal or weakling. The more a child gets out of the public schools, the more tax will he pay and the less liability is there that he will be a burden upon the tax payers. When all exceptions are eliminated, the fact stands that the tax paying of the ordinary man is largely in proportion, directly and indirectly, to what is given him in the elementary school and to what he gets out of it."

It is recommended that the sum of money in addition to that required by law, be substantially increased to enable us to pay our principals and high school teachers more, and to insure 36 weeks of school.

It is also recommended that one special teacher be engaged to teach music and drawing in the schools. There is excellent mental training in both of these subjects, and there is the artistic side of child life that we have no right to neglect. Very few New England towns of the size of Conway, are now without special teachers in music and drawing. One specially trained teacher could very well handle both subjects in all of our schools. This work would add to rather than detract from interest in the common branches. There would need to be an appropriation of \$400 for this work.

Other than cities, there are only seven towns in New

Hampshire larger than Conway. Nor are we by any means the only town divided up into several villages. The question is, are our schools and school buildings what they should be for a town of our size and importance? Are we spending more or less than other towns of our size for education? A few comparisons are made for the benefit of the voters.

Average of current expenditures per pupil in both '07 and '08, per whole state, \$24; for Conway \$16.76.

(Estimated value of school buildings, taken from state school report):

Conway, \$20,000; Derry, \$31,000; Exeter, \$50,000; Farmington, \$35,000; Haverhill, \$60,000; Hillsboro, \$35,000; Lancaster, \$39,000; Lebanon, \$76,000; Lisbon, \$38,000; Milford, \$71,000; Newport, \$50,000; Pembroke, \$25,000; Peterboro, \$27,500; Pittsfield, \$20,000; Plymouth, \$140,000; Salem, \$20,000; Walpole, \$40,000; Wilton, \$45,000.

#### NORTH CONWAY.

The new room and extra teacher in this village are proving a great help.

Acknowledgement: To Dr. G. H. Shedd, for a drinking fountain. To Mrs. J. L. Gibson for plants for five school rooms. To North Conway Womau's club for framed pictures. To Mrs. G. H. Shedd for framed pictures.

#### CONWAY.

The condition of the school building in this village, as is generally known by this time, is nothing short of disgraceful. There are four rooms and five teachers, while six teachers are needed to do the work properly. However, this is not the worst objection. The sanitary condition is vicious.

It will be remembered that the Four Corners schoolhouse is in poor shape, although it has been repaired as much as the old building would warrant. In view of these facts it would seem best to build a school house at Conway village large enough to accommodate the Four Corners school. This would require seven rooms.

Such a building would be a pride to the town and would



settle the elementary school house problem for many years. The present school building is entirely unfit for school purposes.

#### CONWAY CENTER.

The grading here at the opening of the fall term was unsatisfactory; partly due to no class having gone from the primary to the grammar school for two or three years. Thus the primary room was badly congested, while there were many empty seats in the grammar room. The fourth grade were ahead of the program of studies for that grade, and so were promoted to the sixth grade. With some extra effort on the part of the pupils and teacher, most of the class will be able to complete the work of the sixth grade by the end of the year.

#### OTHER SCHOOLS.

There are no special features in connection with the other schools that need mention at this time.

#### CONCLUSION.

In closing this report I wish to thank the citizens, parents and especially the pupils for their kindly greetings as I have been among them. This has been my chief help and inspiration in my work.

Very respectfully,

ERNEST C. WITHAM,  
Superintendent.

## School Board Report.

At the last annual meeting, Mr. A. H. Furber of North Conway, was elected as a member of the Board for three years, and Mr. L. C. Prescott was elected for one year, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. H. B. Fifield. The new board organized with the following officers: A. H. Furber, chairman; L. C. Prescott, clerk; Abbie M. D. Blouin, financial secretary. Early in the year's work, Mrs. Blouin realized that her condition of health would not allow her to take so much care, resigned as financial secretary, and A. H. Furber was elected.

We wish to express in this report our appreciation of the liberal support given the School District during the year 1910. We are pleased to report that we have had thirty-five weeks of school. In a town with as many scholars as there are enrolled in Conway, a school year of thirty-six weeks should be maintained. The expense for teaching, care of buildings, transportation, and all other expenses for the schools, is a little less than three hundred dollars per week.

Last year an appropriation was made for additional room at Conway. The committee having the matter in charge, after looking the present building and grounds over, thought it best to leave the appropriation unexpended, until the citizens of Conway could carefully consider the present congested conditions, and this year call for money to fully provide for the needs of Conway village school. What is needed there is a modern school building with ample play grounds; the latter reducing the great risk to the children during recreation periods from accident by teams and automobiles, as at present their play-ground is the main highway. An appropriation was also made to finish a room on the second floor of the school building at North Conway, and the same committee chosen to attend to the same.

This appropriation was overdrawn by the committee. To

relieve the committee, the deficiency bill for furniture was paid from the school money.

We wish here to convey to Dr. Geo. H. Shedd the thanks of the School Board and the patrons of the entire school for his thoughtful and kindly interest in the health of our school children as evidenced by his gift of a drinking bubble to the North Conway school. We hope that in the near future similar drinking facilities will be installed in the several school buildings that have running water; and sanitary water tanks with individual cups, will be placed in all other school rooms.

At the opening of the school year in September, the Board deemed it best for all concerned to close the school at South Conway, (there being but four regular scholars), and convey them to the Center school. Mr. O. W. Sinclair was employed to attend to the transportation, which he did in a very acceptable manner. For various reasons it was thought best at the beginning of the winter term to close the McMillan school and send the scholars to North Conway village. This arrangement has proved highly satisfactory.

We trust that the people of Conway feel with the School Board that our schools have very materially improved in many ways under the management of a Superintendent. The Board heartily endorse the untiring efforts and labor of Supt. Witham. We hope no one interested in the public schools will fail to carefully and intelligently read his report, and pledge themselves to co-operate with all the officers of the school district, as without this the best supervision and teaching cannot produce the best results.

Regularity of attendance is a very important matter. Superintendent Witham has aroused quite a rivalry in the various schools in town by the system of monthly reports made to him by the teachers and the printing in "The Reporter" of the school and teacher that takes the lead for the month. Epidemics of mumps, chicken pox and colds have been the cause of more or less necessary irregularity in attendance during the present term. *Parents*, do you realize that upon the *attendance* of the scholars depends the amount of money

we draw from the State? We urge you to see that your children are in school every day of the school year. Visit the schools frequently, thereby showing to the Superintendent and to the teacher that your support and sympathy are with and for them.

Some of our teachers have been with us for several years. which is proof sufficient that they are the right persons in the right places. Of those who have labored in our schools for shorter periods, we have only words of praise, as they too are proving that they have not mistaken their calling.

We would call the attention of the people to the increased number of pupils attending high school and academies since the town has been paying the tuition. There are many others who would be glad to give their children the privilege of higher education could they afford the expense necessary to send them away from home. We are trying to work into our schools a two years high school course which our Superintendent is trying to perfect and have approved by our State Superintendent. It is the ardent hope of those deeply interested in this work that such interest and enthusiasm will be aroused thereby, that Conway may soon be the proud possessor of a well equipped High School.

In many of our school rooms is a piano or organ and as we cannot always secure teachers who are trained in music, we should like to see music taught in our schools. This can be brought about at a small expense as one teacher could cover the whole town. We therefore recommend the employment of a special teacher for music and drawing.

In accordance with Chap, 52 session laws of 1909, the School Board recommend to the Selectmen that the following sums for the following purposes are necessary for the ensuing year: 1. High School tuitions, \$1700. 2. Text books and supplies, \$550.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR H. FURBER,

ABBIE M. D. BLOUIN,

L. C. PRESCOTT,

School Board of Conway.



## School Officials.

A. H. Furber, Chairman and Financial Secretary, term expires 1913.

Abbie M. D. Blouin, Purchasing Agent, term expires 1912.

L. C. Prescott, Clerk, term expires 1911.

Ernest C. Witham, Superintendent.

To Henry B. Cotton and H. Boardman Fifield, Auditors of the School District of the Town of Conway, we herewith submit an account of the financial transaction of the School District, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn for the year ending February 15, 1911.

ARTHUR H. FURBER,

ABBIE M. D. BLOUIN,

L. C. PRESCOTT,

School Board of Conway,

### TEACHERS' SALARIES.

Ella F. Hasty,	\$ 150 00
Edythe V. Weeks,	368 00
Grace Lee Davis,	316 00
Raymond E. Merrill,	120 00
Alice M. Morrison,	290 00
Louise D. Hill,	318 00
Vera E. Berry,	320 00
Marcia A. Libby,	260 00
Jennie A. Scott,	250 00
George Lougee,	429 00
Katherine Charles,	96 00
Ronald S. Drysdale,	156 00
Alice E. Cole,	120 00
Beulah M. Hutchinson,	108 00
Caroline G. Whitney,	110 00
Florence P. Ferguson,	120 00
Eliza J. Hale,	256 00

Pearl W. Bemis,	208 00
Calista E. Andrews,	96 00
Harriet F. Woodward,	208 15
Elsie F. Libby,	210 00
Grace M. Carll,	144 00
Chestina F. Kenneson,	220 00
Henry F. Norton,	286 00
Agnes E. Hall,	220 00
Frances E. Robinson,	245 00
Cora G. Haley,	262 50
Grace McDaniel,	252 00
Marguerite Weeks,	8 00
Una L. Hazelton,	210 00
Frank E. K. Davis,	60 00
Bessie M. Koffman,	70 00
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	\$6,486 65

## JANITORS.

Asa Huff,	\$156 25
James H. Fullerton,	175 00
Louise D. Hill,	11 00
Ralph Thompson,	6 75
Fred Fitts and Plummer Potter,	31 90
Chester H. Eastman,	12 90
Ivory H. Cole,	3 00
Florence L. Allard,	10 50
Myrtlelena Grady,	3 40
Clifton Hill,	2 50
Roy Hill,	1 00
Dean H. Hale,	6 50
Lucien Duprey,	13 00
Edna Thoits,	6 50
Vernon Hill,	5 75
Otis M. Quint,	7 00

## SUPERINTENDENT.

Balance in treasury, March 1910,	\$150 00
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## TOWN OF CONWAY

49

Appropriation, March 1910,	325 00
State, one half of salary,	456 00
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	\$931 00

Paid E. C. Witham salary from Jan. 31, 1910 to March	
1, 1911,	\$994 00

## TRANSPORTATION.

Winifred Sawyer,	\$ 84 00
Eliza J. Hale,	128 00
George H. Graves,	160 00
Martha A. Long,	52 00
Orien W. Sinclair,	105 00
C. E. Hatch,	154 00
Paul Welch,	195 00
Fred H. Sawyer,	132 25
E. M. Hastings,	17 50
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	\$1,027 75

## TUITION.

Appropriation March 1910,		\$1,500 00
St. Mary's School, Concord,	80 00	
Union School District, Concord,	12 63	
Tilton Seminary,	213 34	
Laconia Public Schools,	38 00	
Fryeburg Academy.	1,080 00	
Balance in Treasury,	76 03	
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## INSURANCE AND WATER.

Conway Aqueduct Co.,	\$ 1 67
North Conway Water Precinct,	30 00
J. C. L. Wood, insurance,	5 00
A. E. Kenison,       "	20 00
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	\$56 67

## INCIDENTALS.

M. C. R. R., freight and express,	\$ 3 39
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Mrs. C. W. Walker, cleaning,	24 50
A. E. Kenison,	1 45
Jessie H. Cole, cleaning,	3 50
J. E. Cranmore,	4 00
Mrs. Felix Duprey, cleaning,	10 00
George Seavey,	1 50
E. C. Witham, express and freight, etc.,	31 85
Eliza J. Hale, cleaning,	2 00
Lucien Duprey,	1 00
B. C. Snyder, printing,	17 30
Churchill & Prescott, supplies,	28 83
Clifton Hill,	50
Geo. H. Graves, cleaning Redstone,	2 00
Asa Huff,	2 50
Carter & Bean, supplies,	19 83
Grady and Bemis, cleaning,	7 00
L. Cloutman,	12 00
C. P. Thurston,	3 00
Mrs. Matthew Murry,	8 25
Mrs. Wm. Dimick,	9 75
Mrs. Lucy Brown,	6 00
E. H. Heath, cleaning,	4 50
J. H. Fullerton,	2 75
Grace M. Carll,	50
E. J. Flint, cleaning,	4 50
Library Bureau,	8 75
W. E. Garland Co.,	4 93
J. L. Gibson,	90
Redstone General Store,	4 62
H. B. Fifield & Co.,	99
Mrs. G. A. Merrill, cleaning,	10 50
Lorenzo Bryant,	3 00
A. W. Chandler,	15 44
A. D. Davis,	4 75

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\$266 28

## TOWN OF CONWAY

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## ARREARAGE.

Poole & Hodgdon,	85
Carter & Bean, supplies,	5 95
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	\$6 80

## FUEL.

E. C. Blouin, wood, Centre, South,	\$ 76 50
P. W. Mudgett, slabs, Centre, Redstone,	10 00
E. W. Cook, sawing wood, Centre, South,	9 50
W. E. Brooks, wood, Kearsarge,	4 00
E. F. Swett,	4 50
John Whitaker,	52 13
Fitts and Potter, storing wood and slabs,	5 00
Ralph Thompson,	1 88
S. W. Benson,	9 75
Clifton Hill,	1 25
Irving Page, wood, East Conway,	33 00
C. O. Perkins,	1 25
E. C. Seavey,	51 02
J. H. Fullerton,	3 15
Lucien Duprey,	6 00
W. H. Hurd,	2 15
George Seavey,	3 00
Melvin Heath, wood, Green Hill,	16 00
S. K. Merrill, wood,	22 50
G. H. and J. Z. Shedd, wood,	11 00
Furber Bros., coal,	133 48
A. C. Kennett,	10 63
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	\$467 69

## BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

Houghton, Mifflin Co., books,	\$ 11 20
Educational Pub. Co.,	37 73
Sibley & Co.,	2 39
D. C. Heath,	30 21
Ginn & Co.,	141 12
American Book Co.,	63 16



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J. L. Hammett Co., supplies,		149 87
D. H. Knowlton, diplomas,		75
B. C. Snyder, supplies,		7 75
Silver, Burdett Co., books,		35 65
E. E. Babb,	"	9 38
Milton, Bradley Co., supplies,		4 36
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, supplies,		70 60
Express and freight,		3 42
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		\$567 59

Balance in treasury, March 1910,	\$233 54	
Appropriation, March 1910,	250 00	
Overdrawn,	84 05	\$567 59

### SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS.

A. H. Furber,		\$ 25 00
A. M. D. Blouin,		25 00
L. C. Prescott,		25 00
J. L. Gibson, clerk,		10 00
" " treasurer,		25 00
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		\$110 00

Appropriated March 1910,	90 00	
Overdrawn,	20 00	\$110 00

### REPAIRS.

J. A. Andrews, labor, material, East,		\$ 5 00
John Whitaker,		105 16
Clifton Hill,		2 35
A. W. Chandler,		73 84
N. B. Knox,		28 00
G. A. Orcutt,		20 00
E. S. Thompson,		10 47
Herbert Keith,		1 50
A. W. Russell,		9 14
E. E. Thoits,		6 50
C. H. Barter,		40

## TOWN OF CONWAY

53

F. W. Davis,	85
F. H. Dolloff,	1 25
A. S. Thompson,	26 40
F. H. Sawyer,	6 75
E. C. Blouin,	11 00
Churchill & Prescott,	12 44
Frank W. Davis,	2 25
N. W. Pease,	6 07
Carter & Bean,	18 08
Mark Wiggin,	1 00
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	\$348 45

Appropriation, March 1910,	\$300 00	
Overdrawn,	48 45	\$348 45

## NEW ROOM, NORTH CONWAY.

A. W. Chandler,	\$678 36
American Seating Co.,	148 85
O. D. Case Co.,	22 40
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	\$849 61

Appropriation March 1910,	750 00	
Overdrawn,	99 61	\$849 61

Appropriation for Conway village,	\$2,500 00
Unexpended and in treasury,	2,500 00

## SUMMARY.

Balance in treasury, March 1910,	\$ 673 97
Amount required by law,	3,247 50
Amount appropriated for schools,	3,000 00
Dog tax and license,	275 86
Mary Banfill fund,	9 40
Appropriated for repairs,	300 00
“ Conway Village,	2,500 00
“ North Conway,	750 00
“ School Officers,	90 00
“ Superintendent,	325 00

Appropriated for High School tuition,	1,500 00
"            books and supplies,	250 00
Literary fund,	371 07
State aid, for average attendance,	1,020 00
"    "    qualified teachers,	440 00
"    tuition rebate,	675 83
"    one half Superintendent's salary,	456 00
Received for tuition,	18 00
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	\$15,902 63

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid insurance and water,	\$ 56 67
Repairs,	348 45
New room at North Conway,	849 61
Tuition,	1,423 97
Superintendent,	994 00
Transportation,	1,027 75
Fuel,	467 69
Janitors,	453 35
Incidentals,	266 28
Teachers' salaries,	6,486 65
Books and supplies,	567 59
Arrearages,	6 80
School District Officers,	110 00
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	\$13,058 81
Balance in treasury,	
Appropriation for Conway,	\$2,500 00
Other appropriations unexpended,	343 82
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	2,843 82
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	\$15,902 63

Respectfully submitted,

A. H. FURBER,

ABBIE M. D. BLOUIN,

L. C. PRESCOTT,

School Board of Conway

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the School Board of the School District of Conway, and find them correct with proper vouchers on file for each and every item paid out.

H. B. COTTON,

H. B. FIFIELD,

Auditors of the School District of Conway.

SCHOOLS	GRADE	TEACHER	Enrollment	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Percentage of Attendance	No. Pupils not absent or tardy throughout year	No. of Cases of Tardiness	No. Visits by Superintendent	No. of Visits by Parents and Others	No. Pupils Under 16 Years of Age	No. Pupils Over 16 Years of Age
North Conway	High—VIII	Henry F. Norton, Prin. }	62	51	48	95		67	40 27	53	59	3
	VI—VII	Frances E. Robinson }										
	IV—V	Chestina F. Kenneson,*	48	41	38	92		185	32	25	48	
	I—III	Agnes E. Hall	55	45	42	90		132	18	39	55	
Conway	High—VIII	Grace L. Davis	46	41	38	93		113	27	62	42	4
		George Lougee, Prin. }										
		Elsie F. Libby							10			
	VI—VII	Louise D. Hill	50	+2	38	82		213	25	48	50	
	III—V	Vera E. Berry	34	27	25	91		56	17	55	34	
	I—II	Alice M. Morrison	65	51	47	88		106	16	40	65	
Conway Center	Grammar	Cora G. Haley	24	24	22	95	8	13	13	167	24	
	Primary	Grace E. McDaniel	53	45	39	80	3	26	11	170	53	
	Grammar	Edyth V. Weeks	29	26	23	88		400	21	18	29	
Redstone	Primary	Jennie A. Scott	25	25	23	90		242	19	37	25	
		Una L. Hazelton	35	26	24	93		29	10	37	35	
West		Eliza J. Hale	26	16	13	91	1	37	9	20	26	
Four Corners		Harriet F. Woodward	17	17	16	95		5	9	27	17	
East		Grace M. Carl	18	16	15	93		34	9	61	18	
Kearsarge		Bessie P. Bemis	10	10	9	91		21	9	40	10	
Green Hill		Marcia A. Libby	21	18	17	94		14	13	49	21	
McMillan		Discontinued	10	7	16	87		82	8	6	8	
South		Discontinued	10	6	4	75		14	4	9	7	
Echo Lake			8									2
												1
		Totals	636	553	407	91	13	1787	347	963	626	10

Several names in the enrollment column appear in two Registers. No. of children between 5 and 16 years of age reported by enumerator, 590.

\*Additional teacher and room this year.



"	26	Ossipee	Joseph Budroe	Conway	21	Millman	Bartlett	Ossipee	David Budroe	Ossipee	E. M. Hodsdon J P
			Bertha Welch	Ossipee	20	Housework	New Jersey	Emma Templeton	Clara Goodblood	Quebec	
"	27	Conway	Mike Karkos	Lisbon Me	21	Weaver	Madison Me	Frank Abbey	Andrew Karkos	Europe	Ossipee
			Helen Abbey	Lisbon Me	23	Weaver	Bath Me	Augusta Clark	Susie	Bingham Me	Conway
Nov	5	"	Frank K Trask	Conway	24	Granite cutter	Conway	Chas F Trask	Louise Knight	Bath Me	Frederick A Sullivan C
			Catherine F Charles	Conway	27	Teacher	Fryeburg Me	Moses L Charles	E Wentworth	Westport Me	Conway
Dec	12	"	Willard Watson	Fryeburg Me	30	Farmer	"	Jefferson Watson	Betty Douglass	Bridgton Me	H A Peare C
			Ethel E Willey	Fryeburg Me	19	Housework	Conway	Walter S Willey	David Willey	New York	Conway
"	21	Brookline Ma	Almon H Willey	Conway	50	Farmer	P E I	Sylvia E Ela	David Willey	Denmark Me	Lucius H Bugbee C
			Mary L Pethick	Brookline Mass	39	Nurse	Fryeburg Me	Geo R Pethick	Mahala Boston	Bartlett	Brookline Mass
"	27	Conway	William H Johnson	Conway	40	Laborer	Wakefield Ma	Elizabeth Beer	William Johnson	England	Bruce W Brotherston C
			Irene Frost	Madison	20	Waitress	Maine	Geo F Frost	Margaret Vond	Stow Me	Conway
"	29	"	Herbert Thompson	Conway	26	Box maker	Norway Me	Jennie A Story	Geo F Frost	New Bedford Ma	Alfred T Hillman C
			Velma M Wentzel	Norway Me	19			Eugene Thompson	Bertha Daman	Wakefield Mass	
								Chas Wentzell	Susie Munroe	Bear River N S	Conway

# VITAL STATISTICS.

TO THE SELECTMEN:—In compliance with an act of the legislature passed June Session, 1887, requiring clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages, and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report, I hereby submit the following:

## BIRTHS.

Date	Name of the Child (if any)	Sex and Condition		No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents		Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Male or Female	Living or Stillborn				White	White				
Jan 6	Walter E	Male	Living	1	Edwin Jodis	Ethel Goodrich	White	Conway	Conway	Laborer	Milan	Somersworth
" 11	Hamblen Q	Female	"	1	Fred Emerson	Winifred Knox	"	"	"	Clerk	Conway	Albany
" 14	George C	Male	"	1	Homert W Bates	Louise H Hamblen	"	"	"	Stone cutter	Richford Vt	Lovell Me
" 20	Blanche M	Female	"	1	Everett Mason	Susie A Turner	"	"	"	Laborer	Conway	Connecticut
" 26	Milton R	Female	"	3	Harry L Smith	Lizzie Wentworth	"	"	"	Farmer	Albany	Conway
" 27	Herbert J	Male	"	3	Mark Tripp	Mary E Rogers	"	Bartlett	Porter Me	Carpenter	Scotland	Cambridge Mass
Feb 1	Herbert J	"	"	3	Alexander Grant	Elizabeth Wilson	"	Conway	"	Granitecutter	Scotland	Scotland
" 4	Lawrence L	"	"	3	George A Pierce	Annie E Stoddard	"	"	"	Blacksmith	Augusta Me	Freepport Me
" 13	Dorothy L	Female	"	9	A W McCutcheon	Celia Jordan	"	"	"	Millman	Warren	Colebrook
" 15	James A	Female	"	2	Geo A Eastman	Alice J Leavitt	"	"	"	Proprietor	Sweden Me	Conway
" 15	Beatrice J	Female	"	2	M Edgar Caswell	Sarah Richardson	"	"	"	Laster	Sweden Me	Bartlett
" 16	Mauricio	Male	"	4	Nazareno Pagnano	Maria Debona	"	"	"	Stone cutter	Epping	Italy
Mar 8	Madeline F	Female	"	2	Archie E Brown	Lucy J Bean	"	"	"	Granite cutter	Brownfield Me	Conway
" 9	Hattie B	"	"	2	Ronald E Drysdale	Isabelle Day	"	"	"	Teacher	Wales	England
" 17	Albina L	"	"	1	Augustino Cassini	G Andreoli	"	"	"	Granite cutter	Italy	Italy
" 8	Annie	"	"	5	William Reece	Annie McPherson	"	"	"	Laborer	N B	Scotland
" 17	M Reginald	Male	"	3	Edwin R Pitman	Grace M Martin	"	"	"	Granite cutter	Bartlett	Sebago Me
" 21	Bernard F	Female	"	1	Frank O Loud	Alice J Thurston	"	"	"	Farmer	Conway	Newport Me
Apr 7	Laura E	"	"	1	Roy Fish	Clara Bruthin	"	"	"	Engineer	Gorham	Nova Scotia
" 11	Richard F	Male	"	1	Stephen W Hill	Ida M Woodruff	"	"	"	Farmer	Conway	Deer Isle
" 14	Raymond P	"	"	2	Ezra Parke	Marion McFarland	"	"	"	Draughtsman	Canaan N Y	Conway
May 2	Alfred E	"	"	1	Philip Sawyer	Lucy Williams	"	"	"	Laborer	Theford	St John N B
" 3	Everett M	"	"	1	Edward E Lownd	Edith I Eastman	"	"	"	Farmer	Conway	Slow Me
" 7	Elia	"	"	3	Mark Wiggin	Ambert Harriman	"	"	"	Mason	Chatham	Milan
" 9	William H	"	"	3	Enrico Baroffo	Cazzi Pierino	"	"	"	Stone cutter	Italy	Italy
" 9	Maggie E	Female	"	1	William M Stevens	Annie Taylor	"	"	"	Harnessmak'r	Newport	Charleston Vt
" 9	Abbie M	"	"	4	Herbert L Yeaton	W McLaughlin	"	"	"	Sawyer	Ludlow Me	N B
" 13	Evelyn M	"	"	1	Clarence Thombs	Laura M Towle	"	"	"	Merchant	Tamworth	Conway
" 15	"	"	"	1	Albert F Dimick	Edna E Pierce	"	"	"	Operator	Standish Me	Portland Me
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